



IFW/LH

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Sarkis TOKATLIAN

Appl. No: 10/715,115

Filed: November 18, 2003

For: SUB AQUA BREATHING SYSTEM

Art Unit: 3743

Examiner: Aaron J. Lewis

**Atty. Docket No: 32406-198948**

Customer No:

26694

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Information Disclosure Statement**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PTO did not  
list item(s) \$180.00

Sir:

Enclosed please find the attached PTO-1449 and copies of the non-U.S. references cited therein, listing references referenced in the enclosed Search Report under Section 17.

In order to comply with applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the U.S. Patent Office is notified of the documents which are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and which the Examiner may deem relevant to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application. One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing date of a first Office Action. Accordingly, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)(2), a fee of \$180.00 is attached.

In view of the above, no further translation or statement of relevance is required, and as all requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and all official guide lines pertaining to Information

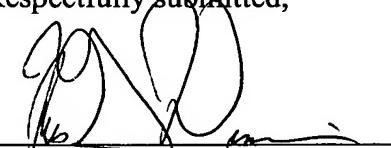
02/04/2005 AMONDAR1 00000163 220261 1075115  
01 FC:1806 180.00 DA

Inventor: Sarkis TOKATLIAN  
Atty. Docket No: 32406-198948

Disclosure Statements have been complied with, and it is therefore respectfully requested that the Examiner consider the documents and make them of record.

Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment in connection with this Information Disclosure Statement to Deposit Account No. 22-0261

Respectfully submitted,



---

Thomas G. Wiseman  
Registration No. 35,046

Date: February 1, 2005

VENABLE  
P.O. Box 34385  
Washington, D.C. 20043-9998  
Telephone: (202) 344-4800  
Telex: (202) 344-8300

DC2-DOCS1-616794

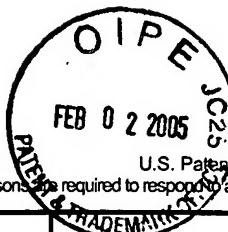
Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box →

FEB 02 2005

PTO/SB/08A (08-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no person is required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.



Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet

1 of 1

### Complete if Known

Application Number	10/715,115
Filing Date	November 18, 2003
First Named Inventor	Sarkis TOKATLIAN
Group Art Unit	3743
Examiner Name	Aaron J. Lewis

Attorney Docket Number

32406-198948

### U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials *	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Patent Document		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number	Kind Code <sup>2</sup> (if known)			

### FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	Foreign Patent Document			Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T <sub>8</sub>
		Office <sup>3</sup>	Number <sup>4</sup>	Kind Code <sup>5</sup> (if known)				
1	EP	0 341 085	A1		Stafford			
2	WO	97/12175	A1		Cook et al.			

### OTHER PRIOR ART -- NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials *	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T <sup>2</sup>

Examiner Signature

Date Considered

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

<sup>1</sup> Unique citation designation number. <sup>2</sup> See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. <sup>3</sup> Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). <sup>4</sup> For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. <sup>5</sup> Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. <sup>6</sup> Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

+ ::ODMA\PCDOCS\DC2DOCS\616797

**VENABLE**  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW